

James M. Strohman

DISSENTING OPINION OF KIM D. SCHMETT:

I respectfully dissent from the majority decision of the Employment Appeal Board; I would reverse the administrative law judge's decision. I would find the Claimant had knowledge of the Employer's notification policy, yet failed to timely report that his assignment ended, and subsequently request an additional assignment. For this reason, I would conclude this was a separation to be considered a voluntarily quit without good cause attributable to the Employer. Benefits should be denied until such time he has worked in and was paid wages for insured work equal to ten times his weekly benefit amount, provided he is otherwise eligible. See, Iowa Code section 96.5(1)"g".

Kim D. Schmett

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